Customary Decrease of 1 Cent on May 1 Fails to Materialize This Year.

Thousands of milk consumers in Washington who have been led, from an experience of twenty-five years, to expect a decrease of 1 cents a quart in the price of milk beginning May 1, are doomed to disappointment when they receive their bills for the current

Practically all the large dealers in Washington will sell milk at the winter price, 9 cents a quart, throughout the

Heretotore the lower price, put into effect May 1. has continued until Oc-tober 1. The prospects are for the winter price to remain in effect without a break until that time, prominent dealers say. The causes they give are, in many

cases, a continuance of the same whole-sale price by the farmer, and even sale price by the farmer, and even when this is not done the increased expense of dairy operation, it is claimed, makes necessary the increase.

Dealers point to the fact that they have been advised of an increase of price of \$1 a gross on milk bottles, that the drivers and other employes are getting from 12 to 20 per cent more wages, and that the price of stationery, of coal and wood, and of other materials have advanced.

The farmers, too, are affected by the higher cost of living. They must pay more for equipment of all sorts, and for labor. In many cares they have either made no decrease at all, or only a partial one, to the retailers, it is said.

House to Observe Cannon's Birthday

Testimonial Arranged to Former Speaker for Saturday Morning.

Leaders of the House, irrespective party affiliations, have arranged an un-usual testimonial to former Speaker Joseph G. Cannon for next Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

"Uncle Joe" will be eighty years old on Sunday, and the House leaders have arranged a demonstration in his honor on Saturday, when eulogistic speeches will be made by Speaker Clark, Majority Leader Kitchin Minority Leader Mann. Congressmen Rodenberg, Gillett, sherwood, and other veteran members. It is unusual for the House to accord such a testimonial to a sitting member, and the "Uncle Joe" celebration will be a unique event in the history of the lower chamber.

St. John's Cadets to Present Operetta

An operetta by cadets of St. John's College in uniforms of the army and navy will be a feature of the enterent and dance which the alumni of the college will give this evening in

of the college will give this evening in the Immaculate Conception Hall, Eighth and N streets northwest. The entertainment will be repeated on Thursday night.

Officers of the St. John's College Alumni are J. Bowden Duryee, president; Leo A. Rover, first vice president; Edward May, second vice president; Brother Alfred, treasurer; P. Henry Horning, secretary; entertainment committee—Denis E. Connell, chairman; James T. Ryan, John P. Daly, Peter J. Hagan, and William J. Curten.

Mrs. Champ Clark to Address Missionaries

Mrs. Champ Clark will make an address on the life of John Early, the leper, before the Woman's Interde-

leper, before the Woman's Interdenominational Missionsry Union at its
final session at St. Paul's Lutheran
Church next Friday afteroon.
Senator Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana, chairman of the Senate Committee
on Public Health, has been invited to be
present. Senator Ransdell is the author
of a bill that has been reported favorably for the establishment of a national
leprosarium.

MILK TO BE SOLD Aqueduct Bridge Bill "CLEAN-UP, PAINT-UP" SHAKESPEARE PLAYS In President's Hands CAMPAIGN BEST EVER

Measure Providing \$1,000,000 for New Structure Ready for Wilson's Signature.

RAPID ACTION BY CONGRESS

Congressman Charles C. Carlin Wins Long Fight-Adamson Aids Speedy Enactment.

Only the signature of the President is now needed to make available \$1,000,000 for building a magnificent new Aqueduct bridge in Georgetown. After several years of delay Congressman Charles C. Cartin of Virginia has been rewarded by seeing both houses pass his bridge bill, and the measure went to the White House today.

Congressman Carlin, who comes from Alexandria, and Chairman Willfam C. damson, of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, are largely responsible for the speedy enactment of the bill at this session Chairman Adamson persuaded the House that the bill should be given preferential consideration in its dispos tion of calendar business, and the measure was given the right of way

In Hands of President. When the bill went to the Senate it was expedited by Senators Swanson and Martin. The Carlin bill came back to the House yesterday afternoon with minor amendments. and Chairman Adamson immediately moved that the House accept the Senate amendments

and forese the routine of sending the bill to confrence.

With the acceptance of the Senate amendments by the House the bill was ready for the President, who probably will sign it today or tomorrow. Congressman Carlin has been fighting for a new bridge at Georgetown since the present structure began to be dangerous.

Commission To See Plans.

The principal Senate amendment to the original House bill was that offered by Senator Newlands providing that the Fine Arts Commission shall examine the

Pine Arts Commission shall examine the plans for the new bridge.

The bill appropriates \$25,000 to repair the existing structure so that it may last until the \$1,000,000 bridge is constructed. The Secretary of War is given jurisdiction over the bridge and will have control of both its construction and its operation. It is provided that the new bridge shall be located "at or near" the site of the present Aqueduct bridge, which connects Thirty-sixth and M streets, Georgetown, with Rosslyn, Vs.

Liberty-Union Review Seeks 100 New Members

One hundred new members before July 1 is the object of the campaign started by Liberty-Union Review No. 6, of the Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees.
Columbia Review No. 3, has also started a campaign for new members.

LOCAL MENTION.

BEST FOOD-LINCOLN CAFE, 740 10th

Phone Your Want Ad to The Times

"Largest Credit Jewelers in the World"

Silverware Sale



Tea Sets Five Handsome Pieces **\$13**.50

on any purchase

of \$25 or less.

Beautiful 5-piece sets, in a variety of patterns; heavy quadruple plate, guaranteed for 25 years—engraved

We call special attention to our very fine line of flatware at unusu-ally low prices.

Castelberg's, 935 Penna. Ave. Profit-Sharing Coupons, Worth 5%, With Every Payment

GARDEN 6 P. M. 15c PLAYS

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DOUGLAS FAIRBALKS

HABIT OF

No. 2-MAE BUSCH in "A BATHROUSE BLUNDER "



Marked Improvement Over Activities of Last Year.

Marked improvement over campaigns of previous years is manifested in the here, according to A. H. McGhan.
This statement is contained in a report which Mr. McGhan, as chairman of the campaign committee, made to the Master House Painters and Decorators'

Master House Painters and Decorators' Association meeting last night in the Corcoran building.

Mr. McGhan declared the purpose of the campaign is to distribute the renovation of the city's home over as long a period as possible rather than to concentrate it into a few weeks. This latter policy, he believes would result in such a crowding of work that in a short time all work would be exhausted and many experienced men would be out of employment.

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Mr. McGhan announced contributors to the support of the campaign as foliows: Woodward & Lothrop, McGhan Scaffolding Company, S. Kann. Sons & Co., George F. Muth & Co., Saks & Co., Barber & Ross, Edward & Watkins, W. J. Callahan, Thomas W. Smith, S. P. Harbin, National Electric Supply Company, W. A. Finch, J. W. Lacey, August A. Weber, George E. Russell, Craven & Co., C. A. Neubeck, James Linskey, Pennington & Taylor, J. Frank Campbell, L. Barr, H. P. Amos, C. A. Herbert, M. F. Nicholson, Palais Royal, Moore & Wood, J. B. Jones, Charles MacNichol, F. F. May, George E. Corbett, Dyer Brothers, Hugh Reilly, W. H. Butler, C. F. Nesbit, E. J. Murphy, and George R. Gill.

Retail Grocers to Hear National Head

Frank B. Connolly, president of the

Chairman A. H. McGhan Reports Merchant of Venice and Hamlet Included in George Washington University Program.

> The bargain scene from "The Mer-chant of Venice" and the soliloquy from 'Hamlet" will be dramatically presented by R. D. Shepherd, former Shakespearian actor, at the public Shake-speare celebration to be held tomorrow night in Memorial Continental Hall under auspices of George Washington University.

> Mr. Shepherd was better known on the stage as McLean. Under that name he became celebrated in the role of Brutus, playing with William Faversham in "Julius Caesar."

> The closet scene from "Hamlet" will be enacted by Mr. and Mrs. George Buckler, both of whom have played Shakespearian roles. They played with Thomas Keen in the days when Mr. Keen was at the height of his popularity.

"Shakespeare 300 Years Hence" will be the subject of an address by Senator Gore of Oklahoms, and "Educational Values in the Shakespearian Comedies" will be the topic of an address by Prof. William Allen Wilbur, dean of Columbian College and head of the English department. Dean Wilbur has been teaching Shakespearian classes for more than twenty years, and is a recognized Shakespearian scholar.

Prizes Given Students At Gallaudet College

Presentation day exercises are being held at Gallaudet College this afternoon. National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States, is to be the principal speaker at a meeting of the Retail Grocers' Protective Association, at 1933 D street northwest tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

As guests of the association for the evening will be a delegation of retail grocers from Boston who are on their way to New Orleans to attend the national convention of retail grocers.

The exercises include the presentation to students of prises for work accomplished during the year. They are being held in the chapel on Kendall Green. A reception will follow so the home of the president of the institution.

Beautiful Spring Flowers—and artistic floral decorations for all social functions. Gude, 1214 F st.—Advt. The exercises include the presentation



CONGRESSMAN C. C. CARLIN

Postpone Board Meeting.

The meeting of the Board of Educa-

ion, scheduled for this afternoon at

he board rooms in the Franklin School

Building, has been postponed until

Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, ac-

cording to announcement by Harry O. Hine, secretary of the tourd. The postponement is necessitated by the making of improvements in the board

The Young Man's Shop 1319-1321 F Street

VISIT OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT,

May 3

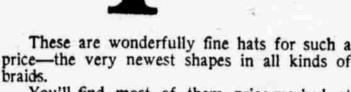
STORE NEWS

1319-1321 F St.

Purchases Delivered Free to Any Part of the United States by Parcel Post.

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Hand-Finished

Straw Hats



You'll find most of them price-marked at \$2.50, for the manufacturer expected us to sell them at that figure.

Every one is perfectly finished by hand-not simply pressed into shape by machinery. They're firm and durable-and they show their first-class

Finest Straws at \$3 and \$4

These are the very finest qualities manufactured, in the season's fashionable models-many of them exclusive. We feature the cushion bands that mean coolness and the comfort of a perfect fitting hat.

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We're making a leader of a superfine grade of Panama at \$5. You'll not find such quality elsewhere at this price. They're of feather weight-all desirable shapes.

Panamas Up to \$25

Spring Suits

-of \$20 and \$22 Value



There's just one reason for selling these suits at \$15:-it's to meet the price that seems to be demanded by the public. We're compelled to give you these values because we carry nothing of lower grade.

We simply ask you to see them and compare them with what is offered elsewhere for \$15.

Our suits mean three garmentscoat, vest and trousers-with a belt of the same material that would cost at least \$1.00 if specially made.

These garments are hand-tailored from materials of our own selectionwe design the models to embody the best and latest style features-the coats are French faced. They include the popular "Half Norfolks' in a fine variety of fabrics and patterns.

Open 8:30 A. M.

Kamis Daily Bulletin

Sensational Offer Tomorrow Leather Hand Bags

At About 40c on the Dollar-This In Face of Advanced Prices on Leather

We doubt if we will ever be able to repeat such low prices for the qualities. Leather and other materials have advanced so much that makers are not inclined to dispose of stocks

on hand. It is only because we bought small lots from several makers at special price concessions that we are able to make the following offers and we would advise that you attend the sale early as the lots are limited.

Find These at the Street Floor Bargain Tables

Lot 1-Hand Bags in genuine morocco and seal, assorted styles, mostly in black; \$2.49 and \$3.00 values Choice tomorrow.......\$1.50

Lot 2-Hand Bags, assorted | Lot 3-The Famous Shuralso some in silk; \$1.49 and black only; regularly sold at \$1.98 values.



styles, in black and colors, Lok Bags, four different styles;

"Durbar" Cloth In Plain Colors

which very closely resembles the real ramie linen. 27 inches

wide, and shown in a good range of colors, among which are — wistaria, Belgian blue, Hague blue, navy, pink, old rose, brown, and black. "SILVERBLOOM," one of the most practical and all-around useful wash materials of the day; has a luster like a silk and wool poplin, is shown in plain colors and stripes. The ztripes are in tan, blue, green, gray, and lavender stripes on natural colored grounds, and in plain colored grounds, and in plain colored rose, gray, tan, green, and wistaria; 22 inches 58C wide: a yard.

Bamboo Porch Shades At Interesting Prices to Introduce:

5x8 ft. size, of fine split samboo, in green or natural color, complete with pulleys and ropes for rolling up; strong and durable shades. SPECIAL

79c

4 ft. wide..... 59c 6 ft. wide 89c 7 ft. wide..... 98c 10 ft. wide......\$1.49 12 ft. wide\$1.75 Kann's-Third Floor.

ongee Sport Dresses



Included Among the Many Different Styles in Street, Afternoon and Semi-dress Models at

Two different models in these sport dresses of pongee; one style is made with striped pongee, Russian blouse, which is trimmed with plain pongee collar, made in deep pointed sailor style, also pockets, cuffs, wide belt, and bottom band finishing blouse are all of the plain pongee. The skirt is of plain pongee finished with striped band. The other is a similar style, but has collar and sash finished with fringe.

Other models include taffetas, Georgette crepe and crepe de chine combinations, charmeuse; many in dressy styles, The colors are grays, tans, rose, Copenhagen blue, brown, green, wistaria, and black.

All sizes.

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Pretty and Cool for the Summer Season.

Rosebud Gimps and Rosebud Trimmings For the Dainty May Ball Dresses.

They make such pretty summery trimmings for the dainty little dresses for the children's May Balls. There is great demand for them, also for trimming lingerie, boudoir caps, etc.

Colors are pink, pink and blue, violet and green, and pale pastel colorings.

Prices a yard, $12\frac{1}{2}c$ to \$1.75 Kann's-Street Floor.

9x12 ft. Reversible: Woven Matting Rugs Specially Priced

Close woven 180-warp Jap Matting Rugs; woven and sten-ciled designs; about 12 patterns, in plain colors and mixtures; blue, green, brown, and tan; also red and green, green and brown; blue, red, and green, etc. Other sizes in proportion: 9x9 ft. size......\$1.89 6x9 ft. size.....\$1.25 36x72-inch size......39c

27x54-inch size......25c

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